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WAR CLOUD LOOMS

Impending Conflict Between Central American States.

ALL MAY BECOME INVOLVED

State Department at Washington Is Surprised to Hear News that Hostilities May Again Be Resumed in Central America.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The news from Mexico of an impending conflict between all of the Central American states except Costa Rica was received here with surprise and incredulity, for up to this moment all of the advices from that quarter of the world which have reached Washington were to the effect that the asperities caused by the last Nicaraguan attack upon Acajutla, Salvador, has been smoothed down under the combined influence of the governments of Mexico and America.

Washington Expected Conference.

Indeed, it was the belief of the state department officials here that arrangements were about to be perfected for a conference in Washington next fall or winter of delegations from the Central American states, the only obstacle being the reluctance of each of the parties to taking the initiative in asking for the conference.

Wednesday the state departmnet received a cablegram from American Minister Lee, at Guatemala City, stating that Guillermo Aguirre, the minister of finance of Guatemala, accompanied by Senor [illegible] and another official, had just left that city for the City of Mexico for the purpose of meeting Secretary Root upon his approaching visit there. It is understood this Guatemalan delegation is clothed with full power to represent their government in the effort to improve the relations between Guatemala and Mexico, which have not yet recovered from the strain to which they were subjected as the result of the refusal of President Cabrera to surrender to Mexico for trial the alleged instigators of the assassination of the late General Barillas.

Root's Visit to Mexico.

All official statements relative to Secretary Root's projected trip have been to the effect that it is to be absolutely unconnected with politics, but it is scarcely expected he would refuse to meet the Guatemalan delegation, in view of his freely expressed desire to use his best efforts to preserve the peace in the south. For the same reason, if the meeting takes place, and was has not in the meantime broken out between the Central American states, it is probable that Secretary Root would feel it his duty to pass beyond the simple question of the relations between Quatemlaa and Mexico and endeavor to impress upon the delegations the wisdom of conserving the peace with their other neighbors.

TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKC.

Railroad Telegraphers Will Not Be Called Out.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—At a conference held Thursday night between President S. J. Small of the Telegraphers' union of America; Secretary Russell, President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, and several other labor leaders, it was decided definitely that there should be no strike of the 47,000 railroad telegraphers of the United States.

These operators will be called upon shortly to contribute a strike fund of $60,000. Two of their general officers attended the meeting.

Found Hanging to a Bed Post.

Danville, Ky., Aug. 17—Jane Sluggans, an old negro woman, was found dead in her room with many evidences of foul play. There were marks on her throat that indicated she had been choked to death, and that afterward her body was suspended from the top of a bedpost by means of some strips of bed clothing. It is thought the old woman was murdered in order to secur esome money which she was supposed to have hidden in the house.

PAYS DEATH PENALTY.

Georgia Negro Hanged For Outrage on White Girl.

Cuthbert, Ga., Aug. 17—Will Price commonly known as "Buster," a negro man about thirty years old, was hanged here Thursday for the crime of rape, committed upon the person of Sarah Burks, a white girl about 14 years old, on July 6, about 6 miles southeast of Cuthbert.

Although the execution was private, there were several hundred people here from all sections of the county, being attracted through mere curiosity, to hear the condemned man's last talk or to get a glimpse of his remains after execution. Only a very limited number were permitted by the sheriff to witness the execution.

Price's crime, according to the evidence given at a special term of Randolph superior court, called for the purpose of passing upon his and other crimes, was a most atrocious one.

Sarah Burks and her little brother, 10 years old, had come to Cuthbert on Saturday and had left town about 4 o'clock in the afternoon for their home, 6 miles in the country.

They were walking and Price, who was in a buggy with another negro, passed them, leading his mule behind the buggy. Later Price met them in the road, after leaving the negro in the buggy. He made some remarks to the girl and brother as he passed, and later returned, when he was said to have made a most fiendish and brutal attack upon the girl. She being almost a child, and her brother a child, were unable to resist his attack, her arms being pinioned under her body. Her little brother came to her rescue, but he was powerless in making his blows effective. The assault was at a point remote from houses, and as she was dragged from the road her cries were not heard, on account of the distance from the nearest house.

Later the girl and her brother went to her home, about a mile from the place of assault, and communicated what had happened to her mother.

A posse of citizens of the neighborhood soon gathered. The identification of Price being conclusive, a warrant was sworn out and later he was arrested by Sheriff Bynum and brought to pail.

Judge Worrill called a special term of court, a bill was found, counsel assigned and a full and fair trial afforded the negro. The jury found him guilty, and he paid the penalty.

GERMAN TARIFF AGREEMENT.

May Go Into Courts for a Judicial Decision as to Validity.

New York, Aug. 17—The German tariff agreement, it is now probable, will be taken into the courts for a judicial decision as to its validity.

This action is likely as the result of a decision by the general appraisers here sustaining the advanced value on an importation of chocolate from Germany. Their decision was based on and followed the decision of the supreme court of the United States in the Passavant case.

It is understood the importers will appeal on the strength of the German tariff pact, a proceeding that is desired by all importers, as they wish to obtain a judicial ruling.

Heir Is Born to Krupp Fortune.

Kell, Germany, Aug. 17.—There was a holiday at the Krupp shipbuilding works here Thursday with a distribution of money to all the work men in celebration of the birth of a son and heir to Herr and Frau Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach. At Essen the birth of the heir was also celebrated. The various Krupp works including those at Balboa, employ 61,000 persons. They recently have been reconverted from a temporary stock company into a firm under Frau Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach's private ownership.

Two Bothers Drown.

Carlisle, Ky., Aug. 17.—While in bathing at Abner's mill Frank and Charles Bryant, brothers, aged 14 and 16, were drowned. The younger boy was seized with cramps and the other undertook to rescue him, but lost his own life. Their bodies were recovered by persons who witnessed the drowning, but reached the spots too late to be of assistance.

TRENTON SCHOOL TO BE FINE BUILDING

Work Already Begun, and Will be Rapidly Pushed.

LIVINGSTON GETS CONTRACT.

He Was the Lowest Bidder, and Proposes to Give the People of Trenton District a Building of Which They May Well Feel Proud.

The contract for the elegant new school building at Trenton has been let, and George W. Livingston, well known throughout the West End, has secured the job, he being the lowest and best bidder, according to the manner in which the bids were figured by the board of trustees of that district.

To begin with, the board may expect a good job, as Mr. Livingston is regarded not only as a competent mechanic but a reliable man, a man able and willing to comply with the plans and specifications in a faithful and reliable manner.

This building, when completed, will be the most up-to-date school building in the West End. It was designed and planned after modern ideas, with a view to the rapidly growing Trenton section, and in all will be a credit, not only to the district, but to the educational interests of the county.

Contractor Livingston went at once to work in the matter of ordering material, etc., and will push the work as rapidly as it is possible to do a satisfactory job.

The building will be one of the most commodious in that section of the county when completed, and the enterprising people of Trenton district to be congratulated.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

Miss Bessie and Earl Kelley Entertain a Number of Friends.

One of the most enjoyable social functions of the season was the party given by Miss Bessie and Earl Kelley, complimentary to their young friends, at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Kelley, 500 South Arredondo street, Thursday evening. There were about forty present, and those who attended thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

The feature of the evening was the game of Prophecy. Numerous pieces in the form of clover leaves were cut out and hand painted, and each guest was required to prophesy as to the future of another of the opposite sex.

During the evening Misses Leonora Vidal, Ila Eddins and others performed on the piano, and Miss Rosabel Pedrick favored the guests with some sweet vocal selections.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The home was attractively decorated with Japanese lanterns, suspended from the porches, with floral decorations on the interior.

At a late hour the guests departed, with an expression of many thanks to the clever entertainers for the pleasure of the evening.

Sea Island Cotton.

Savannah, Ga., August 17.—The sea island market was inactive during the past week, no sales being reported. Quotations are nominal in the absence of business. Some little uneasiness is felt by the trade over reports of shedding on account of frequent showers recently, with intermissions of hot sunshine, causing the fruit to drop. As yet results have not been serious, but the situation may easily become so.

The following prices are based on factors' quotations:

Ex. fancy Ga's. and Fla's. ..	35
Fancy Ga's. and Fla's.	34 @34½
Ex. choice Ga's. and Fla's.	32½@33
Choice Ga's. and Fla's.	31½@32
Ex. fine Ga's. and Fla's. ..	28 @29
Fine Ga's. and Fla's.	26 @27
Common Ga's. and Fla's. ..	24 @25

PICNIC DID NOT OCCUR.

Young People of Waldo Were Anticipating a Good Time.

The young people of Waldo were anticipating a picnic and big time generally on Friday, and had made elaborate preparations for the same, so it is reported, but owing to the illness of one of the young men, who was a prime mover in the matter, the function has been postponed until a date which will be announced later.

The young people of Waldo are up-to-date when it comes to anything, and picnics and fish frys are their specialties. They had extended invitations to a party of Savannah young people who are spending their vacation at Cedar Key, to join them. The Savannah people did go, but upon their arrival learned of the postponement and the reason, and were in hearty sympathy with the affiance.

It is expected, however, to hold this picnic at an early date, as friends of the young man who is ill expect him to recover shortly.

"MEMBRINO FRANK" SOLD.

One of the Finest Colts in Florida Changed Hands Saturday.

There was an important deal in horseflesh on Saturday, when George Taylor of Palmer, superintendent of the Gainesville Peach Orchard Co., sold to Ira J. Carter of Newberry "Membrino Frank," one of the finest colts in the State, and a prize winner at the Florida State Fair in Tampa last year.

The colt is one of the best disposition, one of the fastest, and, in all, one of the best in Florida, and had many admirers at Tampa among the horsemen during the fair.

Mr. Carter, who is a fine judge of horseflesh, has been on a "trade" with Mr. Taylor for some time for this valuable animal, and the matter finally came to a head Saturday, when Mr. Carter paid the price, tied a halter around the animal's neck, and drove home towards Newberry. His friends will congratulate him upon his purchase.

TRENTON ON A BOOM.

New School House, Store and Residences are Being Erected.

The hustling town of Trenton, located in the West End a few miles from the old Suwannee, made famous by song and history, is forging ahead with surprising rapidity, which means that her enterprising citizens are by no means asleep.

W. H. Jones, one of the Trenton hustlers, was in the city Friday. He states that work is progressing finely on the new school building, that J. A. Durrance of Chiefland is erecting a new and commodious store, and that several residences are going up.

In all, Trenton is growing fast, and is yet destined to become one of the leading towns of the county, since the people enjoy the advantage of railroad facilities.

WILL ERECT A CHURCH.

Christian Congregations of West End Have Effected Combination.

The congregations of the Church of Christ of Trenton and Jennings Lake sections have combined and decided to erect a neat and commodious church edifice in Trenton, where all may worship together.

There are a great many members of the Church of Christ, commonly known as the Christian Church, in the section including the towns of Trenton and Jennings Lake, and it is their purpose to have erected a church which will prove a credit to them.

Mr. Gunter Here.

Among the visitors to Gainesville is Herman Gunter of Pierson, a graduate of the University of Florida at the last session of that institution.

Mr. Gunter is a graduate of civil engineering, and, it is learned, has been assigned to duty with the geological survey of Florida, authorized by the last Legislature. It is understood that work will begin on this survey within a short time.

SOUTHERN PROGRESS

Healthy Rate of Increase in Assessed Valuations.

GEORGIA'S GAIN [illegible]

Rate of Increase Shows the [illegible] Strides and Steady March the [illegible] is Making Toward Greater and Greater Wealth.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 17.—[illegible] from typical southern states [illegible] a maintenance of the healthy [illegible] increase in assessed [illegible] properties that has [illegible] cent years. The total [illegible] in Louisiana this year is [illegible] an increase over 1906 of [illegible] The assessment in the [illegible] leans alone is [illegible] crease of $12,[illegible]. In Georgia the increase [illegible] $667,320,326 to [illegible] ing to a rough [illegible] already in from [illegible] Texas point to an [illegible] bly $200,000,000 [illegible] sessed value in the [illegible] $1,400,000,000. [illegible] an increase of [illegible]

The total value [illegible] in Tennessee, [illegible] road, telegraph, [illegible] railway property [illegible] in the year [illegible] is thought [illegible] crease of [illegible] assessment [illegible] bringing the [illegible] the state [illegible] more than [illegible] Georgia [illegible] 000,000 already [illegible] gain of $60,[illegible] [illegible] property, [illegible] the state of [illegible] tal assessed [illegible] Though these [illegible] changes in [illegible] they reveal as a [illegible] march of the south toward [illegible] greater wealth.

SIX [illegible]

Big Chance for [illegible] Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 17.—[illegible] Taggart has received a [illegible] prominent New Jersey [illegible] ing that the next democratic [illegible] al convention be held [illegible] City.

"Six cities are [illegible] the national convention, [illegible] getting to be a pretty [illegible]" said Chairman Taggart. [illegible] Louisville, St. Louis, St. [illegible] cago, Cincinnati and Atlantic [illegible] The Kentucky democracy is [illegible] very busy on the proposition. [illegible] received a petition signed by [illegible] of the senators, all of the [illegible] tatives in congress and the [illegible] nor of the state, asking that [illegible] vention be held in Louisville. [illegible] call a meeting of the national [illegible] mittee for the latter part of [illegible] ber or early in January to [illegible] on the time and place for [illegible] national convention. That [illegible] tee meeting will be held at [illegible] Lick, Ind., or at Washington, [illegible] trict of Columbia."

Lightning's Strange Prank.

Athens, Ga., Aug. 17.—There was a severe rain storm here Thursday [illegible] it was accompanied by [illegible] lightning. At the plant of the Empire State Chemical company, on the farm owned by that company, [illegible] was struck and three [illegible] hogs and a chicken were [illegible] lightning played a freak [illegible] chicken, tearing its [illegible] neatly as if a surgeon had [illegible] the job, and injuring it [illegible]

Auto Went Over Cliff.

Williamsport, Pa., Aug. 17.—[illegible]

SHEPPARD THE MAN WITH THE LONG STICK

He Will Capture the U. S. Judgeship for Northern District.

THAT IS MR. CHUBB'S OPINION.

This Distinguished Republican Has Just Returned From an Important Conference in Washington, and Knows What He is Talking About.

Hon. Henry S. Chubb, register of the United States land office, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, and one of the most influential Republicans in the State, has returned from Washington, where a few days ago he was called, with Hon. [illegible] Coombs of Apalachicola, National Committeeman, to confer with "the powers that be" in reference to some important matters, the inference being the United States judgeship for the Northern District of Florida, the position being made vacant by the recent death of Judge Swayne.

Col. Chubb granted an audience to a Sun representative in his private office at the land office, and seemed to be wearing that broad and contented smile which always characterizes his countenance when something of a satisfactory nature is about to happen to the interests of the Republican organization of Florida.

Sheppard Will be Man.

When asked as to who would be appointed to the United States judgeship by the President, Col. Chubb replied:

"I am perfectly confident of Hon. [illegible] Sheppard's appointment. Inasmuch as he is a native Floridian, a good lawyer, a man of well-trained [illegible] poise and balance and a judicial temperament; having the endorsement of eighty per cent. of the bar of the Northern District, as well as the extensive business interests, the press as a rule, the Governor and leading State officials, there is no apparent reason, with such [illegible] supported by the [illegible] of the man, why the appointment should not fall to Mr. Sheppard.

Probable Opposition.

"The only probable opposition Mr. Sheppard has to contend with comes from [illegible] city district or people, [illegible] a few Jacksonville lawyers [illegible] desire such a good position [illegible] would be even willing [illegible] that beautiful city, with its [illegible] and beautiful surroundings [illegible] to Pensacola to live."

[illegible] in Washington.

Speaking of the weather in the [illegible], Colonel Chubb said [illegible] thermometer stood around [illegible]. "The weather was extremely warm, and there were no [illegible], night or day," he [illegible] to the average temperature in summer, it will not be long [illegible] Florida will make a desirable [illegible] resort for our Northern [illegible]. It is needless for me to add [illegible] am glad to get back home in [illegible] to keep cool."

A FINE DOG.

Captain J. H. Dell Receives a Fine Pointer from Illinois.

Captain J. Henry Dell, who is one of the most enthusiastic bird dog fanciers in the State, is happy over the possession of a pointer pup with a pedigree that will bear inspection.

The dog, Sam's Hard Cash, was purchased from J. M. Baird, Olney, [illegible] and arrived by express Thursday. His pedigree, which will be of interest to dog fanciers everywhere, is as follows:

"Sam's Hard Cash, pointer, whelped September 2, 1906. Sired by Hard Cash, dam, Roxcyrano. Hard Cash by Young Jingo, dam, Bella Pointer. Roxcyrano's sire was King Cyrano, dam, Roxy Kent."

Captain Dell expects to bring his dog upon the street for the inspection and admiration of sportsmen as soon as the pup is sufficiently rested from his long journey.

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To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz of Detroit, Mich., says: "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." Price, 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by all druggists.

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GAINESVILLE HAD A WALKOVER.

Lawtey Stars Couldn't Find Sheats and Made Many Costly Errors.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

Excellent twirling on the part of Sheats, of the Gainesville team, and nine costly errors made by the members of the Bradford County Stars, of Lawtey, caused the downfall of the latter team yesterday afternoon by a score on 9 and 0.

The game was well patronized by fans and fannabelles and Dr. Tison, the manager, was delighted. The boys from Lawtey played clean ball, that was absolutely devoid of rowdyism, but they could not put up the article delivered by the Oak Halls, and hence their defeat.

Sheats pitched an excellent game, having complete control of the sphere, and the visitors were at his mercy. In addition to this he secured a neat double and a single.

The work of Cragin at first was real league ball and the base running of S. Graham was good. Sheats struck out nine men and Perry has the same number to his credit. Sheats was found for four hits while the home team located Perry ten times.

W. R. McKinstry umpired the game and was called on for several close decisions.

HAD AN AWFUL TIME.

But Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Cured Him.

It is with pleasure that I give you this unsolicited testimonial. About a year ago when I had a severe case of measles I got caught out in a hard rain and the measles settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy I am now strong and well. I have written the above through simple gratitude and I shall always speak a good word for this remedy.—SAM H. GWIN, Concord, Ga. For sale by all druggists.

SEES A BIG CHANGE.

T. B. Folks Chased Deer on the Square Thirty-Four Years Ago.

T. B. Folks, wife and son, Fleming, of Newtown, Levy county, are among the visitors to the city, being guests of their sons, G. D. and Griffin Folks.

This is Mr. Folks' first visit to Gainesville for thirty-four long years, and it is not surprising to hear him remark that he notes a "great big change." When he left this town it was little more than a cross-roads trading point, where he and others were accustomed to chase deer and panther and other big game through the black-jacks, where the elegant court house and fine brick stores now stand.

Mr. Folks had heard of the wonderful growth of Gainesville, but entertained no idea of its broad scope, for in place of mud-holes and ponds he now sees elegantly paved streets and fine houses.

Children in Pain

Never cry as do children who are suffering from hunger. Such is the cause of all babies who cry and are treated for sickness, when they really are suffering from hunger. This is caused from their food not being assimilated but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once. Give it a trial. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

MELROSE NEWS.

The Steamer Alert Will be Transferred to Suwannee River.

Melrose, August 15.—Miss Alice McRae is visiting at her brother's, A. A. McRae.

Mr. Yearwood is back from a brief visit with his family in Mt. Airy, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Wall returned this week to their home in Starke.

Merchant M. Baldwin has gone to Baltimore and other places to purchase his fall stock of goods.

Rev. S. W. Lawler, presiding elder of the East Coast district, is in town calling on friends.

George Rose started North with his mother, Mrs. S. L. Rose-Wood, yestedray. She has been confined to her bed for nearly three months in an almost helpless condition, and had to be carried on a stretcher. Dr. F. McRae went with them

Capt. F. A. Weeks has sold part interest in the steamer Alert to Mr. Renault of Waldo, and they will move the steamer on the Suwannee river. The Alert has been running on the lake here between Melrose and Waldo for more than twenty years, but recently the hyacinths have been so bad and the lake too low for navigation with any degree of certainty.

TO DRILL TWICE A WEEK.

The Gainesville Guards Getting Ready for the Encampment.

From this date until the time to go into the annual encampment Company H, Second Infantry, the Gainesville Guards, will hold regular drills twice each week, instead of once a week as heretofore. The drill nights will be Tuesday and Friday, and Lieutenant Shields Warren, who is in command of the company, owing to the absence of Captain Blanding, is particularly desirous of a large attendance at each drill. Lieutenant Warren is anxious to carry a crack company to camp, and, inasmuch as he is one of the most proficient military men and tacticians in the State Troops, he will no doubt be successful.

The troops will not mobolize this year as usual, but will be assigned to duty at coast defenses, to serve with the regular army troops. These coast defenses are located at Key West, Tampa and Pensacola

The encampment will be held in October.

Remedy for Diarrhoea—Never Known to Fail.

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Pomroy Scruggs Building.

Pomroy Scruggs of East Gainesville has decided to erect a new home, and has awarded the contract for same to August Wenske.

The material has been ordered, and as soon as same arrives work will begin. The work will be pushed as rapidly as possible, and Contractor Wenske declares this will be one of the neatest cottages in that section when completed.

In this connection, Mr. Wenske requests The Sun to state that he has again engaged in the general contracting business, and that he is prepared to give bond for the performance of all contracts which might be awarded him.

Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Tex., writes, May 31, 1901: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we ever used for constipation, billous fever and malaria." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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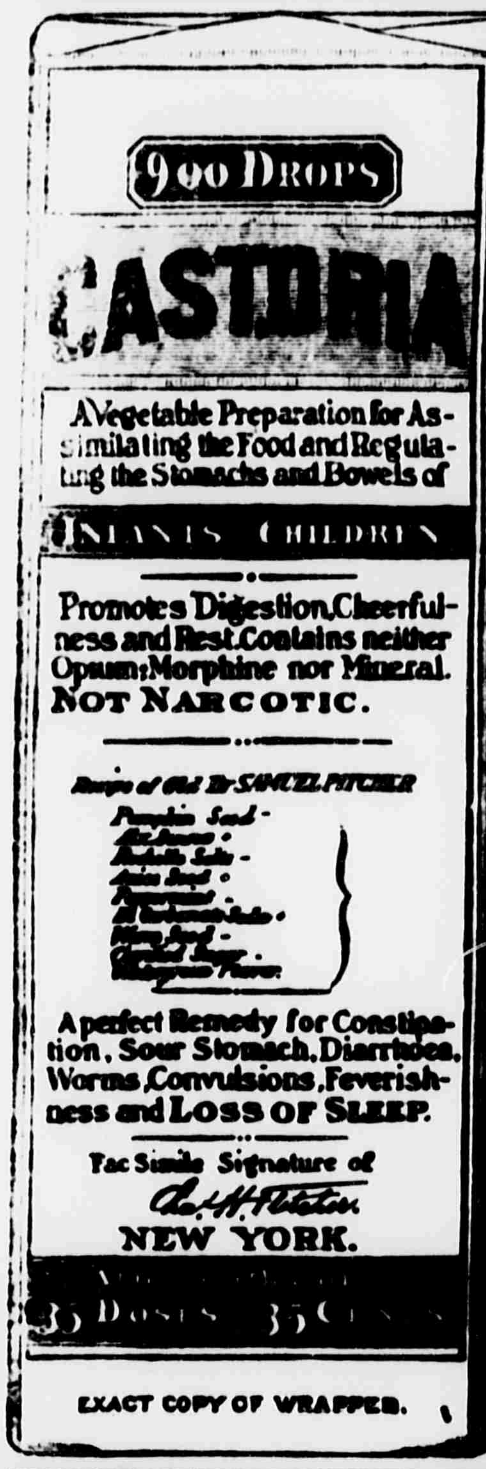

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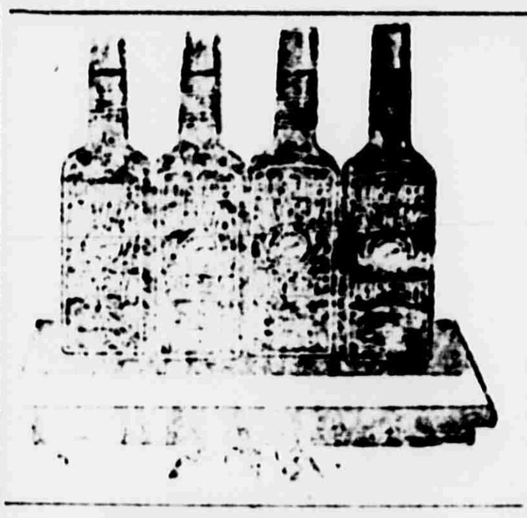

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ROBERT A. TURNER.

Deserved Tribute to a Good and Noble Man.

Hon James E. Alexander of DeLand pays the following deserved tribute to the late Robert A. Turner of Alachua in a recent issue of The Volusia County Record:

Editor Record: I ask space in your paper that I may give a brief sketch of the life and character of my late friend Robert A. Turner, who passed away at his home at Alachua, Florida, July 18, 1907.

Bob Turner, as his many friends loved to call him, was the son of Mr. J. A. and Mrs. Annie M. Turner and was born in Edgefield, S. C., August 6, 1858. His parents moved to Florida from South Carolina when the subject of this sketch was a child, and settled at Providence, Bradford county. Upon reaching manhood he came to Volusia county and for a number of years resided at Enterprise, then the county seat of Volusia. Enterprise was at that time the prettiest and most thriving little town in Florida, being the head of navigation of the St. Johns river and the distributing point for all mail south on the East Coast. All residents of the East Coast section, including all tourists, had to pass through Enterprise. It was the Jacksonville of South Florida. This was in the early 80's. Politics was pretty hot in those days and Enterprise was controlled by a band of white Republicans from Henry county, Ind., the bitterest that ever struck Florida. The negroes being largely in the majority, were easily influenced and controlled by this Henry county contingent from Indiana.

Among the young Democrats living there at that time, in 1884, were Bob and Bill Dickins, Gus Willard, Bill and Jim Fitts, Bob Turner and Jim Alexander. They got together and [illegible] a young men's ticket for city offices, composed of the following: Jim Alexander for mayor, Bill Dickins and Gus Willard for aldermen, Bill Fitts for clerk and treasurer, and Bob Turner for marshal and collector, and after a hot contest all were elected. They were happy, happy days of the long ago. Bob Turner was also deputy sheriff and was virtually sheriff, as Sheriff Cone lived 40 miles from the court house and was in feeble health. Times were different then from now. I never knew Bob Turner to hand cuff a prisoner. He carried a man charged with murder to Manatee county, when Pine Level was the county seat. He and the prisoner occupied different rooms while en route to Manatee county. He controlled him by kindness. He was as true a friend and as brave a man as ever lived, and was the soul of honor, and his word was his bond. For a number of years he was associated with [illegible] Rogers in surveying and civil engineering, and while thus engaged contracted rheumatism, which finally caused his death.

After spending about 15 years in Volusia county he returned to East Florida and settled at Alachua, Alachua county, in the cotton belt, where he owned and operated several cotton gins.

He married Miss Annie Weeks, the daughter of Jonathan and Mary Weeks. The Weeks' are among the most prominent and influential families in Florida. Their names appear in the constitutional convention of Florida and among her legislators. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn their loss, three daughters and a son, who have the deep sympathy of hundreds of his friends, who join in their sorrow and affliction. His only brother, Mr. J. R. Turner, is the present sheriff of Volusia county and has filled that responsible position for many years. He was buried in the old Newnansville cemetery, a beautiful and historic spot in Florida. In the campaign of 1904 I visited this place, where so many of Florida's noblest sons and fairest daughters are resting under the shade of the trees. Little did I then think that the true friend of my young manhood days was soon to join those who had crossed over to the great beyond. During President Cleveland's first administration, through the influence of Senator Call, a federal office was tendered Bob Turner, but his health would not permit him to remain long in the public service. He has left a name that will always be honored and respected by all who knew him. Peace to his ashes.

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A SAD DEATH.

Mrs. W. L. Pickett Passes Away at Tiger Bay.

Jonesville, August 15.—The dark angel of death entered the home of W. L. Pickett at Tiger Bay, Fla., on last Saturday evening about four o'clock, and bore away on its pinions the spirit of his beloved wife, Mrs. Thelma Pickett. The body was brought here last Monday and the funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. T. Taylor Tuesday morning about ten o'clock. Mrs. Pickett was a native of Georgia. She moved to Lakeland with her parents about seven years ago, later moving to Tiger Bay. There she met and loved the worthy Mr. Pickett, and on the second day of September last she became his bride. They came and made their home here until March, when they decided to locate at her former home. On the 3rd. inst., a sweet little girl came to their home, and the hopes of her loved ones were high until Thursday, when the physician pronounced her death near at hand. The baby is doing nicely. Deceased was about twenty years old and was a member of the Methodist church. She numbered her friends by her acquaintances, having one of the sweetest of dispositions. She leaves to mourn her death a loving husband, a mother and father, three sisters and one brother, besides other relatives and innumerable friends, to whom the sympathy of this whole community is extended.

ONE WHO LOVED HER.

Express Office Moved.

The Southern Express Company is now occupying new quarters, having moved to the new Graham building, corner of East Main and East Mechanic streets, where they have fitted up one of the handsomest and most modern offices in the State.

Eczema.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors' remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's Salve, and it proved to be better than anything she had tried. For sale by all druggists.

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HAS PURCHASED HOME.

Mrs. Mershan of Fernandina Will Educate Her Children Here.

So favorably impressed has Mrs. Judge Mershan of Fernandina become with Gainesville and its educational advantages, both in the higher and lower degrees, that the lady has purchased a desirable home and, with her family, will reside here in future.

Mrs. Mershan had read and heard a great deal about Gainesville, its religious and educational advantages, morals, etc., and last week decided to pay the city a visit and see for herself. The result was that she purchased the Orr property, opposite the University grounds, and as soon as arrangements can be made will come here to live.

Mrs. Mershan has two sons, one of whom will enter the University, and the other the Gainesville Graded and High School.

The citizens of Gainesville will gladly welcome this estimable lady and her family.

THE CITY'S DEEP WELL.

Contractor Allen Making Good Headway at Water Works.

As has already been mentioned in the proceedings of the City Council, the city has entered into a contract with J. L. Allen, a practical well borer, for the sinking of a deep well at the plant of the water works, and the work has already begun on the same.

This well will be twelve inches in diameter, and is calculated to relieve the scarcity of water which has alarmed the city and annoyed the consumers from time to time.

The contract price on this job is $2.50 per foot, and it is not yet determined how deep it will be necessary to go. It is not the intention of the city to produce a flowing stream.

MARTHA PERRY INSTITUTE.

This Building Will Undergo Thorough Overhauling and Repair.

The good people of Rochelle are determined not to be outdone by other school districts of the county, with the result that they have decided to thoroughly overhaul and repair Martha Perry Intsitute building, which has for years been recognized as one of the leading schools of the county.

The board of trustees, comprising J. A. Tucker, chairman, J. K. Feaster and Bruce Zetrouer, are among the most progressive in the county. The board will personally supervise the work, and when the fall term opens old Martha Perry will loom up handsomely with her new coat of paint and other improvements.

The Dutton Bank.

Attention is directed to the change of advertisement of the Dutton Bank, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

This is one of the strongest financial institutions in the country, and announces that it is the oldest bank in Central Florida, having been established by H. F. Dutton & Co. in 1873. The institution is conducted by a conservative set of officials who are as liberal as possible to all customers.

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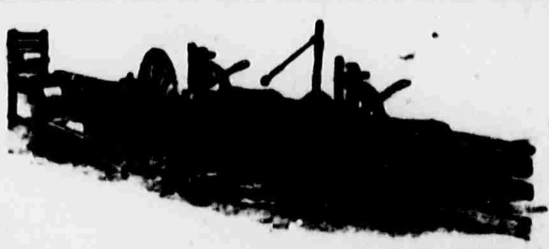

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A Surprise Party.

The little friends of Miss Ruth Jernigan, upon the occasion of her birthday, tendered her a surprise party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jernigan, East Gainesville, Thursday evening, and for an hour or more the Jernigan home was one of clatter and merriment.

The evening was passed in a manner appropriate to the occasion, and during the evening delicious refreshments were served.

About fifteen were present, and all report a delightful time.

Mr. Turner and the Rattler.

W. S. Turner of Micanopy was in the city Friday, renewing his subscription to The Sun.

Mr. Turner, on last Sunday, while returning from church, came in contact with a six-foot rattlesnake, which he proceeded to dispatch without ceremony. His snakeship possessed twelve rattles and the customary button, which Mr. Turner brought as evidence of the truthfulness of his story.

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The Sun and the Semi-Weekly [illegible] one year........ 1 50

We will not accept stamps of a [illegible] denomination than 2 cents.

In Richmond a Mr. Angel has just been sent to the penitentiary. He evidently has not been living up to his name.

Hon. Peter O. Knight of Tampa has returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where he went for the benefit of his health. He says his health is greatly improved.

The St. Louis baggage smasher who dropped a trunk containing dynamite may recover, but if he does he will hereafter handle trunks as if they contained eggs.

Sweet potatoes at one dollar per bushel is the most profitable crop produced in Florida. But this is not the top price, as we are informed that they are retailing in Tampa at two dollars per bushel.

The following is the tax levy for [illegible] purposes for the year 1907: General purposes, 14 mills; public [illegible] bonds, 4 mills; educational [illegible], 3 mills; municipal bonds, 1 mill; fire protection (only on property within [illegible] feet of a fire plug), 3 mills. [illegible] mills.

The proposition of a Georgia legislator to tax newspaper publishers one per cent. of their gross receipts was defeated in committee by only one vote, the chairman breaking the tie vote. There are not many publishers in Florida who would object to such a tax upon the "net" receipts.

[illegible] C. Dunn, secretary of the Florida Railroad Commission, has sold his Madison County Recorder to J. [illegible] Borland. The latter gentleman is an experienced newspaper man and will devote his entire time to the business. The Sun regrets the retirement of Mr. Dunn, but welcomes Mr. Borland as the new editor.

The County Commissioners of Hillsborough finally won out in their efforts to compel the lessees of county prisoners to put Harry Bomford at work in the convict camp, instead of allowing him to retain his position with Knight & Wall in Tampa. The commissioners are to be commended for the determined stand they took in the case.

Senator Mallory again reminds his friends that he is a candidate for re-election. His health has greatly improved during the past few months and he will meet his opponents on the field of battle. If the people do not return Mallory to the United States Senate they will be guilty of base ingratitude, for they never had a more faithful or more able representative in the upper branch of Congress.

The Prohibition League of Escambia county has petitioned the Board of County Commissioners to call a wet and dry election to be held the latter part of September. If Escambia county should go dry those engaged in the whiskey business in the few other counties of the State where the traffic is now licensed might just as well close out and move elsewhere, or engage in some other business. The result will be awaited with great interest throughout the State.

THE NEWSPAPER BUSINESS.

A contemporary says there are over 23,000 newspapers in the United States and yet there is no other branch of business in regard to which such dense ignorance prevails as to cost and profit of production.

This is a matter which is fast becoming of public concern, for the character of the American press and its future influence as the protector of American liberty depends upon it.

Some extremely important facts bearing upon the cost of publishing newspapers in the city of New York have recently been given in a brief submitted by Mr. John Norris, on behalf of the publishers. Mr. Norris is an acknowledged expert upon the subject of which he writes, having long been connected with the business departments of leading New York and Philadelphia newspapers. He has made an exhaustive investigation and his brief is a document of extraordinary significance.

Mr. Norris does not hesitate to say that there is now impending over the daily newspaper press of New York the most serious menace that ever confronted it. This is strong language, and yet his statement of facts seems to warrant it. An additional burden of $3,000,000 a year in the expense account of sixteen daily newspapers constitutes the menace of which Mr. Norris speaks, but there is a larger menace than that back of these figures, of which account will be given later on. This $3,000,000 a year of added expense includes $2,160,000 for white paper, $600,000 additional for compositors, $200,000 additional for stereotypers, and $100,000 additional for other labor. Mr. Norris declares that no more than four papers out of the sixteen which he represents could make both ends meet upon such terms. He adds that these sixteen papers pay $1,500,000 a year tribute to organized labor—that is to say, that is the additional cost of a closed shop over an open one. He is not antagonizing the closed shop, the principle of which he accepts, but he asks how long the newspapers will be able to meet these additional charges upon them. "We are," he says, "approaching that limit where our necessities may force us to stop."

Here are some additional facts picked at random from Mr. Norris' brief: Ninety per cent. of all newspaper circulation in New York City is on the one-cent basis. The sale of advertising space is also on a declining rate. Since 1895 the earning power per column of most of the New York papers has been reduced. A powerful combination of dry goods merchants has operated to reduce the line charge. This dry goods combination stayed out of The World for seven months, boycotted The Sun at the time of its labor trouble, and has been out of The Times for about four years. When The New York World reduced the price of its paper from 2 cents to 1 cent, it gained 90,000 circulation in three weeks, but gave up $1,000 a day, $812,000 a year in revenue, and added at least $500 a day to its expenses. That meant a loss of $450,000 a year in gross revenue. Mr. Norris went on to say that The New York Times is prospering, but that the fact was painfully evident that its profit for a long period would not pay for the additional cost on its new building, which was put upon it by the many unions in fights to which The Times was not a party. These fights added $538,000 to the cost of construction. The Herald is a 3-cent paper and can afford many extravagances and submit to many exactions, but there are extremes beyond which 1-cent papers cannot go. The demands, he declared, are verging upon the point of putting up some newspaper shutters. The New York World pays out $2,500,000 a year for labor. This is at the rate of $50,000 a week, and the remarkable fact is stated that there are 1,000 men now on its pay roll who receive over $1,500 a year. The news dealers make a profit of $1,500,000 every year from its sale. The smallest share of returns goes to the newspaper capital. Mr. Norris goes on to add that the daily newspaper business is the most precarious venture that can be devised. The most prosperous in the city spends 80 per cent. of its revenue in its operating expenses, while most of the papers show deficits. The newspaper percentage of profit is less than that of any other manufacturing enterprise. For every $1,000 of increased business gained by at least one paper more than $1,000 has been paid out to get it. In a period of ten years The New York World's expenses increased 40 per cent. and its earning power decreased fully as much.

Such facts as these are staggering. Unless conditions change they point to very important changes in the character of the newspaper press. The liberty of the press is one of the safeguards of our civilization. It is essential under such a form of government as we possess that the independence of the press should be preserved. Independence is best maintained by the operation of newspapers for profit. Any other method of operation simply means a subsidized press.

Joseph Pulitzer, when he learned the cost of cutting down the price of his paper from 2 cents to 1 cent, declared, "we prefer power to profit." Either a newspaper is to be conducted for profit or else it becomes dependent upon some rich man like Mr. Pulitzer, who is willing to conduct it for the power it gives him, or else upon some rich man like Mr. Hearst for the political opportunity which it affords, or else the newspaper must be subsidized by the great corporations and become not the independent organ of public opinion, but the subsidized organ of corporation interest. This is the greater menace.

NEGRO PRISONERS AND WHITE.

The Atlanta Constitution says a special report on the number of prisoners and juvenile delinquents in institutions of detention and correction in this country presents several facts of more than ordinary interest.

For instance, Dr. Roland P. Falkner, special agent of the bureau of the census, who instituted the work, and John Koren, who carried it on, has discovered:

1. More negro prisoners than whites in proportion to population.

2. The negro prisoners are more youthful.

3. The proportion of women prisoners is decreasing.

While the total number of negro prisoners committed during the year 1904 was less than the total number of whites, the proportion was greater.

The number of colored prisoners amounted to only 16.4 of the whole, but according to the census of 1900 the colored people formed only 12.1 per cent. of the population. Of the 149,691 prisoners, there were in 1904, 125,093 whites and 24,598 colored. Among the colored people are included 186 Mongolians and 714 Indians.

There should be in proportion to population, eight white criminals to one colored.

The report shows that the colored prisoners were responsible for nearly one-third of the more serious crimes for which prisoners were committed.

These conditions are not confined to the South, but hold good in every section except in Arizona and North Dakota, where the colored population is composed chiefly of Indians.

In discussing the age of prisoners, the report recites that 60 per cent. of those of known age committed during the year 1904 were between 20 and 40 years, and that 71 per cent. of the negroes were under 30 years of age.

This is further substantiation of the belief held throughout the South that the younger generation of negroes are more idle, shiftless and criminal than those born before the war. Whether due to heredity or environment, this fact remains. Whether the criminal instinct develops earlier in the negro; or whether the present condition of family life among the races, the lack of discipline which surrounded them in former days, has served to make criminals of the younger negroes, is an academic question. The records prove that the proportion of negro prisoners is greater, they commit most of the more serious crimes and the average age of the criminal is younger than for the whites.

IN THE LONG RUN.

However often the government, backed by popular conviction, says The Wall Street Journal, may fail in bringing to justice classes of enterprise which flourish in disregarding law, it is still true that in the long run the fight for honesty and openness in corporate management will be won by the State, in favor of the people.

The history of all struggles is, in accordance with this conclusion, that in the beginning the advantage may seem to be, as they apparently are now, with the accused corporation, because the difficulty in obtaining convicting evidence of wrong doing. But failure bears its own fruit in suggesting other methods of attack, by which the offenders may be prosecuted with still more certainty of success. Gradually it becomes clearer that as the people gave the corporations their right to exist, they can, with equal propriety, take it away from them if that existence is in itself a peril to public welfare. If the laws and the constitutions do not seem now to admit of such a course of action, public opinion will see that they are changed so as to admit of depriving of life any form of enterprise which may be deemed dangerous to the material, moral, and political existence of the State.

The struggle now going on is not a new one. It is as old as modern history, and in practically every case where corporations of any particular character have made themselves a peril, they have undergone a shearing of power to the point which enabled the State to chain the dragon. It was precisely so with the monastic corporations of the middle ages. It was equally so of monopolies in Elizabethan England, and it will be no less so of the corporations of modern Europe and America, unless they see fit to conform to what is legally defined as right in competition.

IT DESERVES NO MERCY.

The following from The Live Oak Democrat expresses the sentiment of The Sun regarding the illicit sale of whiskey:

"The blind tiger is a stealthy and dangerous beast living in direct defiance of the law and in contemptuous disregard of the expressed will of the community. It is a standing challenge the most insolent character to that community, to its officers and to every law-abiding instinct in its people. It is concrete lawlessness, an unmixed evil of the most exasperating character, a shameless and habitual criminal, and there is no plea that can be set up in extenuation of its vile presence. Like the striped tiger of the jungle from which it takes its name, it is as pitiless as death, a standing menace to the peace and safety of the community and there is no trick or device on the part of an insulted and endangered town and its officers that is not warranted in order to lure the beast into the toils of the law, and, once there, teach it a stern lesson it will never forget. The blind tiger is a coarse, thick-headed animal without honor or conscience, with a certain low cunning as a substitute for brains, and the only gospel it heeds is the gospel of force. It despises law except when it takes the concrete form of an officer on its trail, and the latter should have behind him at all times a vigilant and courageous public sentiment not afraid to speak its mind, in his arduous task of running down the cruel beast that is the enemy of every home in the community and demoralizes young and old alike by its evil example of unpunished lawlessness."

ARMY DISORGANIZED.

Commenting on the recent dismissal of Colonel Ayres from the army, The Houston (Texas) Post remarks:

"From the rise to power of General Corbin, during the McKinley administration, the official roster of the army has undergone many changes due to executive favoritism and the intrigues of the war department's bureaucracy. Many soldiers who served with distinction in the Civil and Indian wars, as well as in the Spanish-American war, were summarily retired or denied promotion in order that rank fakirs like Leonard Wood might be advanced beyond their merits. Soldiers who resented such ill treatment, as Schley resented it in the navy, have been given the "hot end of the poker," to use the modern vernacular, and their efforts to obtain justice have not availed because the power that dominated the war department has likewise dominated the legislative department of the government."

The case of General Miles is also memorable. The army has been so completely demoralized by the military quackery of Roosevelt and his satellites, that it needs a complete reorganization.

The Madison Recorder thinks Senator James E. Broome is too old to be Governor. On the contrary, The Sun believes he is of that mature age which exactly fits him for the State's chief magistrate.

Cortelyou has the gift of silence. He also has the grace of resignation, when it comes to accepting the next higher job.

FROM THE PAGES OF FLORIDA PAPERS.

Down and Out.

The Daily State of Montgomery, Ala., passed into the hands of a receiver yesterday. The paper started publication on May 26, and was beset with the many difficulties to which every new journal is subjected in these days of competition. As stated editorially in The Sunday Daily State, the expense of starting the paper exceeded its income, and it failed to receive the endorsement and support of the public as was expected by the stockholders.—Pensacola Journal.

Beautifying the Plaza.

One of the most striking illustrations of what can be done in the way of beautifying the city is the great change which has taken place in the appearance of the Plaza. Six weeks ago the park was filled with dead grass, leaves and trash, and presented anything but a beautiful sight. To-day, the grass is green and the walks neatly trimmed. Flowers and shrubbery are located in well-selected places and now attract attention from every visitor. Let the good work go on. What has been done here can be done elsewhere.—Pensacola Journal.

Conspiring Against Law.

Every thoughtful citizen each day must become more and more impressed with the insufficient, unequal and desultory enforcement of law throughout the United States. The man with the money and the man with the pull have justice, so to speak, by the nose, and strangle her in the performance of her duty. The Tribune regrets to note that Florida is very far from being an exception to the rule, and its laws and institutions are being constantly disgraced by a lamentably lax system of administering the legal statutes.

We do not say that the courts of law are altogether at fault in this respect. Indeed, the fault lies more at the door of those whose duty it is to carry out the findings of the courts than at that of the courts themselves. There is an ever increasing effort on the part of criminals to evade the punishment which the courts have decreed they should suffer, and these efforts grow more and more successful each succeeding year. From the State Pardoning Board down to the local constables there appears to be an understanding that every advantage should be given the guilty to escape serving a just sentence and that the reign of law is inimical to the interests of the community, and the State. And, truly, when convicted thieves, through some specious pretext, are permitted to show their brazen faces in daily intercourse with respectable people of a community; when convicted murderers may walk unmolested and safe from the enforcement of their sentence; when malefactors, both great and small, may, through a little shrewdness on the part of their lawyers, combined with a public tolerance altogether inexplicable, foolish and wrong, snap their fingers at the jail locks that should snap on them, there comes to us an omnious foreboding that something is radically wrong—something way down at the bottom of things—that requires instant and most drastic remedial treatment.

The existence of this condition, bordering on the chaotic, is the shame of the land. It is the shame of Florida. How may we justly rail against the infernal and anarchical nightmare men call the "unwritten law" so long as we fail to compel our courts to act with promptitude in the trial and conviction of criminals and the officers of the law to use instant precision in carrying out the sentences of the courts? Men speak of the "majesty of the law." Such an expression is becoming as sarcasm, we regret to say; and many in high places are assisting in casting this indignity upon our most sacred institution of mortal goverance. Unless the public mind awakens and insists upon a reform of methods, it will not be long before the law will be shorn of its robes of majesty and dressed in the garb of a buffoon.—Tampa Tribune.

It is possible, says The New York Commercial, that there are, as [illegible] Grant claims, four million Democrats fit to be president. Now if any large proportion of them would stop voting Republican tickets, some of them might reach the White House.

Speaking About Age

WE JUST OPENED ON THE 22ND OF JULY, BUT WE ARE NOT ASHAMED OF THE SHOWING WE HAVE MADE. WATCH FOR OUR FIRST STATEMENT MADE ON THE CALL OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WHICH WILL GIVE YOU SOME IDEA OF WHAT WE ARE DOING.

WE BELIEVE WE ARE PLEASING OUR CUSTOMERS AND WE WILL TRY TO PLEASE YOU. COME IN TO SEE US.

Gainesville National Bank

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CAPITAL, A HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS

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is one of woman's worst afflictions. It always leaves you weaker, and is sure to shorten your life and make your beauty fade. To stop pain take Wine of Cardui and it will help to relieve your misery, regulate your functions, make you well, beautiful and strong. It is a reliable remedy for dragging down pains, backache, headache, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness, dizziness, fainting spells, and similar troubles. A safe and efficient medicine for all women's pains and sickness.

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WRITE US A LETTER describing fully all your symptoms and we will send you Free Advice in plain sealed envelope. Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. J10

WINE OF CARDUI

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

From Sunday's Daily Sun.

Subscribers on rural free delivery routes can send in their subscriptions by the mail carriers. Persons who desire The Sun on such routes can also send money by the carriers.

George Brumley, one of the most widely known and most popular young truckers in this section, left yesterday for his old home in Delaware, where he will spend a few weeks.

For Sale—Ten-acre farm North Gainesville; nicely equipped for chicken or truck raising; good house, barn, chicken house and fences. Easy terms. Apply Mrs. W. L. Roberts, City.

J. E. Malphurs of Waycross, Ga., son of J. R. Malphurs of LaCrosse, returned to his home yesterday, after a visit to his father. Mr. Malphurs holds a responsible position with the car inspection department of the Atlantic Coast Line.

Charles Perkins of Ocala was in the city yesterday. Mr. Perkins is a paving contractor, and has a contract for several miles of cement sidewalk paving in the Brick City. The sidewalks will be of the same nature as those laid in Gainesville.

C. O. Robison of Kirkwood was transacting business in this city yesterday. Mr. Robison a few months ago removed from his home in Mississippi to Kirkwood, having purchased valuable property there, and he is well pleased with the change.

The First National Bank furnishes an interesting change of advertisement in this issue of The Sun. This bank advertises as the oldest bank in the county, and for years has enjoyed the reputation of being under the most conservative management.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Jones and children or Rocky Point have returned to their home, after a couple of months spent in Washington, D. C., Mr. Jones' old home. They report a delightful time, and Mr. Jones says he now feels ready to "go to work" again.

Henry Elliott, an energetic colored farmer of the Rutledge section, who is one of The Sun's oldest subscribers, called at this office yesterday and renewed his subscription. "Uncle" Henry is one of the progressive of his race, and every year harvests fine crops.

Prof. W. H. Cassels returned yesterday from a brief visit to friends in Alachua. Prof. Cassels, who will be the principal of the County Summer Normal, which will open Monday, has had charge of the Alachua school for the past two terms, with excellent success.

The Gainesville National Bank has a change of advertisement in this issue which will prove interesting reading. See the ad., catch on to the suggestion, and act accordingly. The Gainesville National is new, but it's solid, and the management promises something interesting in its first statement.

Mrs. T. B. Ellis, Sr., is spending a few days at Waldo with her daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Marks. Mr. Marks, who is a conductor on the Seaboard, is now on his annual vacation and is visiting his parents at his former home in Montana. He writes that the temperature is too low for comfort, and he regrets that he did not take his overcoat.

Mrs. S. B. Rogers wrote Friday evening to a friend that her husband, Rev. S. B. Rogers, is recovering from the operation he had performed in Atlanta, quite rapidly, and while the case was most difficult and dangerous, due to other complications, the surgeons say that complete recovery to perfect health seems assured, and, after a few weeks he will be able to return to his church, which will be a welcome day to all of his friends in the city.

Conductor LeBarron, one of the most popular bell-cord yankers in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line, is now in charge of the High Springs-Citra run, having relieved Conductor Charles R. Carter, who expects to take his annual vacation of a month. Captain LeBarron has been in the employ of the A. C. L. for several years, and has many friends in this section among the traveling public who are glad to welcome him to this territory again.

The Last Great Sale of the season is now on in full blast at Hyde's. The public is not slow to take advantage of these sales, and all day Saturday the store was crowded with eager buyers. The G. W. Hyde Co. have so much confidence as to the merits of the bargains they offer they do not hesitate to give their guarantee with every purchase and to say your money back if you find anything not as represented. Don't fail to attend this Last Great Sale of the Season, which lasts only ten days.

Mr. Brown in Maryland.

E. E. Cannon has received a letter from E. B. Brown, who recently left for a visit to his old home in Maryland, bearing information that, after a pleasant trip, he arrived safely at Smithsburg, that the weather was fine, and that he was having a good time among the friends of his boyhood days.

Mr. Brown expects to be absent about a month.

Fay-Sholes typewriter ribbons, the best on the market, for sale at The Sun office, 75 cents.

Mr. Hague [illegible]

S. G. Hague of [illegible] bears his name [illegible] urday and made The Sun [illegible] call.

Mr. Hague had [illegible] experience in the [illegible] house a few days [illegible] "face to face" with [illegible] snake who wanted [illegible] make objection [illegible] Hague to [illegible] swelling up [illegible] tions as [illegible] secured a big stick [illegible] convince his [illegible] master, with the [illegible] was a dead snake [illegible]

The reptile [illegible] feet, and was the [illegible] rattles and the [illegible] "hatch up."

Mr. Hague left the [illegible] Sun, and they are [illegible] in the [illegible]

THE GREAT 10-DAYS' SALE AT HY

Is in full blast. There are reasons for our successful sales—have you thought of it? The reasons are: we h the goods and at the prices advertised, and the prices are so low they paralyze all competition. Don't miss [illegible] Last Great Sale of the Season, for it's a grand clean-up of all Summer Goods—and remember, they are [illegible] that will be serviceable for three months yet. THIS IS FOR TEN DAYS ONLY—Closes AUGUST [illegible]

Our Entire Stock Embroideries Marked Down for This Sale

Cost or value not considered—we want to clean up stock.

All Our Beautiful Lawns and Batistes at About Half-Price

See the Tables at 5, 9, 11, 15, 19c Yd

Notion Specials

15c Belts	9c
25c Belts	15c
10c Handkerchiefs	5c
15c-value Linen Handkerchiefs	10c
15c Toilet Soap	10c box

Don't Fail to Visit Our

GREAT READY-TO-WEAR DEP'T

During This Great Sale.

All our Beautiful Shirtwaists—all our White Wash Skirts and Suits—all our Elegant Silk Waists—one lot Fine Tailored Skirts—selling at about 1-2 their value. : : : : : : : : : : : : :

See the Beautiful Black Silk Dress Skirts we are selling so cheap. : : : : : : : : : : :

Beautiful Silks

Greatly Reduced for This Sale

See the Beautiful Fancy Silks that are on display at

39c, 47c, 59c and 69c Yard.

Don't miss this opportunity for a Beautiful Silk Waist or Suit.

The celebrated 36-inch "SWAS" Black TAFFETA at $1.59—worth $2.

New Ginghams

In the New Fall Styles [illegible]

Beautiful Ginghams for school [illegible]

8 1-2, 12 1-2, 15c Yard.

Beautiful French and Persian Lawns, Beautiful Batistes and India Linens

All at Sale prices.

See the 40-inch Lawns at 8 1-2 and 12 1-2c Yard.

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SPREADS
SHEETS AND PILLOW-CASES
RUGS AT COST.

BOTH PHONES

The G. W. HYDE COMPANY

BOTH PHONES

THE BEST TIMBER TREES.

How the Government Studies Them for the Benefit of Forest Owners.

Timber owners and manufacturers will be interested in the results of the detailed studies of commercial timber trees which the Forest Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture is making. These studies are not confined exclusively to the well-known trees of recognized value, but, owing to the rapid decrease in the supply of our valuable woods, include those cheaper woods whose properties are imperfectly known. Such studies of the tupelo gum and western hemlock have done much to overcome the common prejudice against these species and have added materially to their commercial importance.

Commercial tree studies begin with the tree in the forest and follow it all the way to the finished product in the market. The intermediate steps are many and complex, but a little explanation of them may not be amiss, since they typify the field methods of a forest investigation.

The selection of a suitable place is the first step. In this the aim is to obtain average conditions as far as possible. When the range of the species to be studied is small, one locality may be sufficient, but generally it is necessary to take at least two localities, the data from which, if similar, can be thrown together or, if markedly unlike, kept separate for different regions within the range of the species. For example, the yellow poplar, or tulip-tree, has a very wide range, but a study of its growth and yield would show very different results in the North and in the South.

In getting at the rate of growth of a tree, the annual rings on the stump are counted and the distance from each tenth ring is accurately measured. In other words, beginning at the outside of the stump, the rings are counted inward along the average radius, which is obtained by actual measurement and indicated by a pencil line. The layers of ten rings are marked off along this line and then the distance to each mark from the center of the pith is measured and recorded. Additional data as to the [illegible] width of sapwood and heartwood, the width of the bark, the height of the stump, and so forth, are secured at the same time. These measurements are taken for a great many trees in order to secure a fair average.

These results show the growth of the average tree inside the bark at the stump height. In order to reduce this to diameter growth outside the bark at breastheight (4½ feet above the ground), the taper of the average tree must be known. This is found by measuring the diameters of a great many trees at 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 feet above the ground and averaging the results. The bark thickness is already known, so that all that is necessary is to add to it the figures obtained for growth inside the bark and subtract the loss through taper between stumpheight and breastheight.

As a rule a number of seedlings are measured to find out how long they have taken to reach stumpheight. By adding this period to the age of the average tree on the stump the measurement of the height growth of the average tree is complete. This would not be the case except for a peculiarity in tree growth. A given point on the trunk never moves upward with the growth of the tree. Only the tip grows, and a nail driven into the trunk at a given height will hold the same height always.

The taper measurements also serve as a guide for fixing the proper height of stump in felling, so as to avoid waste but still get above the stump-swelling peculiar to some species.

Frequently, felled trees are measured, noting the diameter breasthigh, the length or distance without branches, the "clear" and actual merchantable lengths, and the total height of the tree. Where this is done in conjunction with the stump analyses, a table of age and height is readily made from the table of age and breasthigh diameter already explained.

In order to apply the tables described, the stand on average acres of different types of land is determined by means of sample plots, usually of an acre each, on which the diameter of every tree is carefully measured and tallied. The future yield on average acres is then figured out from the diameter growth tables and tabulated by decades.

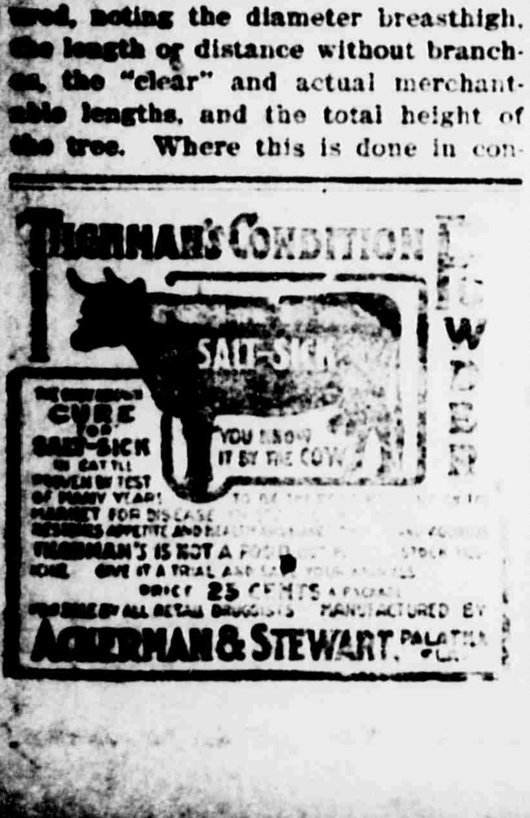
Cutting over an area often markedly increases the growth of the remaining trees, so that a separate yield table is frequently made for second growth after lumbering. This forms an excellent basis for an estimate of the future stand on logged areas.

Besides the more purely technical matters of the life history of the tree; the best methods of management and reproduction; the distribution of the species; the soundness; the damage by fire, wind, insects and fungi; and the general form and development of the species, a study of the methods of lumbering is undertaken, especially as regards waste and damage to young growth.

Finally, a market study is made throughout the range of the species. Figures are obtained by measurement at some mill of the actual cut and grade in board feet of the logs from trees previously marked in the woods. From these measurements the actual value of trees of all diameters is found. The present uses of the timber are looked up, and the practicability of extending its uses or substituting it for other species is considered. In connection with this, timber tests of the wood are made at one of the government timber testing laboratories.

To sum up, every detail and aspect of the problem receives careful attention in these commercial tree studies, since it is their special object to set forth all facts that will assist forest owners in managing and improving their timber lands.

For the best printed stationery at lowest prices call at The Sun office.



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S.S.S. NATURE'S TONIC

Every one should take a tonic in the Spring; their systems require it. The blood has become thick and sluggish with the accumulations left in the system from the inactive, indoor life and from the heavy, rich foods of the Winter season. The blood, being in this unnatural and disordered condition, is unable to furnish the body with the increased amount of nourishment necessary for the more energetic life of Spring and Summer, and the system suffers from debility, weakness, nervousness, indigestion, loss of appetite, and many other unpleasant symptoms of a disordered blood circulation. When the system is in this run-down and disordered condition it is not safe to take unknown concoctions, sarsaparillas, compounds, etc., because they usually contain potash or some other equally strong and harmful mineral ingredient, which acts unfavorably and often dangerously on the depleted, weakened system at a time when it needs gentle and natural stimulation to throw off the impurities and recuperate its lost energy. S. S. S. is appropriately called Nature's tonic. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks from the great storehouse of forest and field, selected for their purifying and health-restoring qualities, and as it does not contain the slightest trace of mineral in any form it is perfectly safe for young or old. S. S. S. acts directly on the blood, ridding it of all impurities and poisons, and restoring the lost properties of rich, nutritive strength so that it is able to supply the system with the healthful, invigorating energy needed to pass the trying season of the year. Its action is the most pleasant, prompt and satisfactory of all tonics, and those who feel the need of such a medicine will do well to commence the use of S. S. S. at once. S. S. S. restores lost energy, relieves the tired, worn-out feeling, helps the appetite, aids digestion, and adds tone and vigor to the system. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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OCALA, FLORIDA.

In the Mayor's Court.

Because, it is alleged, that Charles Williams, colored, persisted in abusing his wife, and actually struck her, he was arrested and arraigned in Mayor's court Thursday morning on a charge of fighting, when the court imposed a fine of $5 and costs. The fine was paid and the defendant released.

Matters have been distressingly quiet with Marshal Arnow and his force for the past two days, the officers having little or nothing to keep them employed. This speaks well for the orderly conduct of the city.

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Win praise from all users. Send for Seed and Plant price list. KENNERLY SEED STORE, Palatka, Florida.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,
August 5, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Nathaniel A. Burge of Wannee, Fla., has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 31353 made Feb. 11, 1902 for the Se¼ Section 17 Township 9 S., Range 14 E., and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on September 13, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz:

W. Z. Bryant, S. J. Bovett, E. S. Matthews, W. J. Slaughter, all of Wannee, Fla.

pd HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the United States Mining Laws, W. N. Camp, whose postoffice address is Ocala, Marion county, Florida, has made application for patent for eighty acres of placer ground, situated in the Cow Creek Mining District, Alachua county, State of Florida, as described by the official plat herewith posted, and by the field notes on file in the office of the Register of the United States land office land district, Gainesville, Florida, as follows, viz: Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter and Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter, containing eighty acres and forming a portion of the Northwest and the Southwest quarter of Section four, in Township seven South of Range fifteen East, Tallahassee meridian.

The location of this mine is recorded in the office of the Clerk of Alachua county on pages 62 and 63 of Book No. 1 of mining claims.

Adjoining claimants are ——

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States land office at Gainesville, in the State of Florida, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

(Signed) W. N. CAMP.
By E. E. VOYLE,
Attorney in fact.

Posted in my office, this August 6, 1907, posted on the claim July 20, 1907. HENRY S. CHUBB,
Register.

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.

No. 8882.

Treasury Department, Office of Comptroller of the Currency—Washington, D. C., July 18th, 1907.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE GAINESVILLE NATIONAL BANK" in the City of Gainesville, in the County of Alachua, and State of Florida, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now Therefore I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE GAINESVILLE NATIONAL BANK," in the City of Gainesville, in the County of Alachua, and State of Florida, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this eighteenth day of July, 1907.

[Seal] T P KANE.
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,
July 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land States by act of August 4, 1892, William P. Knight of Madison, county of Madison, State of Florida, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 715, for the purchase of the E½ of Sw¼ and W½ of Se¼ of Section No. 34, in Township No 9 S., Range No. 12 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1907.

He names as witnesses: M. J. Driggers, Jack Allen, E. S. Gaulden, C. F. Holmes, all of Eugene, Fla.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of September, 1907.

pd HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Broome, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 513, dated the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lot 10, Napier Grant, Tp 10 S., R 19—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Mrs. Nancy Matheson.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that John W. Jones, purchaser of Tax Certificate No 763, dated the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lot 2, Block 3, Original Survey of Waldo.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Mrs. E. Knadler.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the Pine Cottage school house, in School District No. 27 of Alachua county, Florida, on Thursday, September 12th, 1907, for the purpose of determining whether or not said district shall be created a special tax school district, for the election of three trustees thereof, and for the purpose of determining the rate of millage to be assessed and collected therein for the next succeeding two years thereafter. Polls will open at 8 o'clock and close at sunset. The following named persons have been appointed inspectors of said election: J. A. Parish, John Kite and John Ponds, one of whom shall act as clerk.

Done by order of the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua county, Florida, this 6th day of August, A. D. 1907.

R. B. WEEKS, Ch'n B'd Pub Inst'n.
Attest: J. L. KELLEY, Sec. and Supt.

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BILL FOR DIVORCE

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida.—In Chancery—Sherman Martin vs. Emma Martin.—Bill for Divorce. Order of Publication.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that Emma Martin, the defendant therein named, is a resident of the State of Florida, and that she has been absent more than sixty days next preceding this Order of Publication, and that she is concealing herself so that service of process cannot be made upon her, and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of a subpoena on whom would bind said defendant, and that she is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said resident defendant be and she is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before the 26th day of August, A. D. 1907, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This July 23rd, 1907.

S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

A true copy of original.
[Seal] S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.
H. G. MASON, Solicitor for Complainant.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Broome, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 556, dated the 7th day of July, A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

N½ of Lot 25, Mackey & Hudson Tract—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the [illegible]th day of September, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that H. C. Bennett, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 612, dated the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Ne¼ of Ne¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 9 S., R. 19—40 acres.

Said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that Abstract & Realty Co., purchasers of Tax Certificate No. [illegible], dated the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1899, have filed said certificate in my office, and have made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lot 17, Napier Grant, Tp 10 S., R. 19.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Mrs. Nancy Matheson.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 12th day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Broome, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. [illegible], dated the 5th day of July, A. D. [illegible], has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lot 1, Napier Grant, Tp. 10 S., R. 19.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of J. C. Roper.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 16th day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that G. C. Slaughter, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 46, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Se¼ of Se¼ Sec 16, Tp 9 S., R. 15—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of J. H. Faircloth.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 16th day of July, A. D. 1907.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that after six months after the first publication of this notice that I, as Administratrix of the estate of E. T. Finklea, deceased, and as Guardian for Bessie and Earnest L. Finklea, shall apply to Hon. H. G. Mason, County Judge, for my final discharge as such Administratrix and as such Guardian.

MRS. L. P. FINKLEA,
Administratrix of E. T. Finklea and Guardian for Bessie and Earnest L. Finklea.
July 22nd, 1907. pd

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TRADE-MARKS, Caveats and Copyrights registered. [illegible] report on patentability. ALL BUSINESS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. [illegible] exclusively. [illegible]
[illegible]
D. SWIFT & CO.
501 Seventh St., [illegible]

SILAS FOMAN IN NEW YORK CITY

Old Florida Negro Snake-Charmer Claims To Be a Mexican.

LETTER FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Exhibits Snakes to Curious Crowd—People Astounded When He Allowed Big Florida Rattler to Bite Him on the Hands.

From The Times-Union.

Silas Foman, the old negro snake-charmer, who has resided in Jacksonville for many years, interesting the tourists during the winter months by giving exhibitions in front of the hotels with various kinds of native reptiles, and who has claimed for years that he has an absolute cure for snake bite, is now in New York where he is attracting much attention.

Sunday's New York World contained quite a lengthy account of Silas Foman, and his career with snakes, but in no portion of the article does it state that Foman is from Jacksonville, and that the snakes now in his possession are native Florida rattlesnakes. Together with the article The World presents a picture of Foman, which is a good likeness of the old negro.

The story as published in The World, is as follows:

New York Story.

"Silas Foman believes he has a snake-bite cure better than the old fashioned kind that 'your father used before you.' It is liquid, too, and is prescribed for internal use in extreme necessity, but even the promoter admits that 'old Kaintuck' excels the remedy in flavor.

"He made a wry face when he took wo fingers of his own medicine last eek, following a thrilling attack by seven-foot diamond back rattler. he sensation was not scheduled on e entertainment program provided y Foman on the lawn of Frank D. tchum's residence, at Avenue U. ar East Fifth street, Brooklyn.

Not a Mexican.

"Foman comes from Mexico, where was born of an Indian father and Mexican mother. Some one told that the Government has a standing reward for the discovery of a snakebite remedy which cures but s not inebriate, and he came East the expectation of holding an audience with President Roosevelt and ove that he is entitled to the reward. On behalf of Foman, Lawyer ry Stengel, of No. 44 Court street, s written to the President at Oyster y asking if it is his pleasure to ness a cure from snakebite.

"The rattler which Foman brought h him from Mexico is not of the cuous charmer brand. It has s as big as wisdom teeth, and a ey Island snake expert who doubted the genuineness of the reptile inted the poison sacks and declared wouldn't use the rattler in his w for $1,000.

Handled Snakes.

"Foman was mighty cautious in ling the snake when a neighbord audience formed in a circle on lawn to see the show. He was ful to keep out of striking disce except when he manoeuvered is to seize the rattler by the neck. reptile struck repeatedly at his tipped Mexican boots, and he d it with his silver-tipped som- held on the end of a stick.

e was preparing to move the rat- to the box, when Mr. Ketchum a question. Foman was taken s guard for an instant. The rat- head and body darted forward. man uttered a cry of pain and his right hand as he leaped . The spectators fled in terror.

Used His Cure.

physician who was present ex- Foman's hand and saw blood from three lacerations on the . The Mexican took a bottle cure from his pocket and quick- the wounds. He called for dage, and when it was brought he saturated it with the rem- bound his hand. When the began to swell he had recourse rnal application of the medi- and an hour later the only ill apparent were the lacerated He removed from one wound fang which had been torn rattler in the attack. Foman father, an Indian chief, imparted to him the secret of brewing the cure from native herbs and bark.

Letter From Governor.

"Foman has letters from Governor Broward of Florida, who is a believer in the efficacy of the cure and from physicians in Mexico who have used it successfully. He asserts that it is also a specific for hydrophobia.

"'I am anxious to have an official test made by the government,' Foman said yesterday, 'and if the cure proves all I claim for it I am in hopes the Government will adopt it. I will submit to attacks from any snakes the Government may provide and prove that my medicine will cure the bites.'"

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

[illegible] triumph of the nineteenth century, discovered after years [illegible] eminent [illegible] which is the worst [illegible]

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not rec[illegible] It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, and the address Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Home of Swamp-Root.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

OF Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, for Month Ending August 6, 1907.

To Hon. S. H. Wienges, Clerk Circuit Court Aalchua County, Florida.

SIR—In compliance with Section 2, Chapter 4332, Laws of Florida, we hereby file with you the following itemized statement of the moneys received and expended, and warrants issued during the month ending August 6, 1907.

Treasurer's Report for July.

Common Fund.

Balance on hand, supplementary report	$3,906.70
Amount transferred to Common Fund from Special District Fund as per order of Board Public Instruction	3,867.18
Total balance supplementary report	7,773.88
Received from Collector W. D. Dickinson, taxes	1,943.40
Received from Collector Dickinson, polls 1905	1.00
Received from Collector Dickinson, polls, 1906,	44.00
Received from Comptroller, Uniform System,	2,546.06
Received from W. O. Tison, for Waldo,	2,500.00
Total,	$14,808.34
Less warrants surrendered,	16,797.77
Overdraft,	$1,989.43

Special District Fund.

Balance last report,	$4,397.21
Received from Collector W. D. Dickinson, taxes,	622.21
Total,	$5,019.42
Less Special District warrants surrendered,	430.98
Balance,	4,588.44

Common Fund Warrants Drawn.

White Teachers.

Miss Agnes Zetrouer, Franklin No. 7, $41.20; Miss Jessie Barrs, Cannon, No. 35, $36.05; Miss Annie Guinn, Hickory Hill No. 59, $30.90; Miss Maude Lewis, Cherry Sink No. 41, $41.20; Miss Grace B. Wolf, Cherry Sink No. 41, $30.90; Miss Henrietta Dyess, Jaxville No. 55, $36.05; S. A. McElroy, Bartram No. 63, $36.05; Miss Bertha Love, Union Grove No. 70, $41.20; Mrs. F. M. Treadwell, Hatchet Creek No. 78, $30.90; Miss Ada Philpot, Bell No. 85, $51.50; Miss Ava Thomas, Bell No. 85, $30.90; Miss Jettie Futch, Rocky Hill No. 86, $41.20; Prof. G. W. Freeman, Thomas No. 91, $27.03; Miss Minnie E. Lee, Jennings Lake No. 12, $41.20; Miss Ethel V. Tyner, Jennings Lake No. 12, $30.90. Total, $547.18.

Negro Teachers.

C. K. DeVaughn, Hague No. 31, $20.60.

Sundries.

H. F. Dutton & Co., $486.00; W. D. Dickinson, commissions, $93.42; The Wales Co., $325.00; Peninsular Printing Co., $11.25; J. L. Kelley, office expenses, $5.40; Gainesville Gas & Electric Power Co., $1.00; Philip Miller, office supplies, $1.70; H. H. McCreary, printing, $1.25; H. H. McCreary, $2.25; J. M. Fennell, payment on warrant 2813, $1,000.00; J. L. Kelley, election incidentals, $15.00; S. J. Thomas Co., supplies for Pine Cottage school No. 27, $1.15; T. J. Lindsay, supplies for Cherry Sink No. 41, $14.90; J. L. Kelley, office expenses, $8.10; Forrest M. Kelley, stenographer, $40.00; Mrs. Irene McCreary, interest, $2.50; H. & W. B. Drew Co., blackboards for Frankland and Roadfield, $3.00; J. M. Fennell, interest, $81.50; W. D. Dickinson, commissions, $5.22; Board of Public Works, curbing around seminary lot, $60.32 Gainesville Sun, reports and envelopes, $11.50; J. L. Kelley, salary for July, $150.00; R. B. Peeler, commissions for July, $248.84; W. W. Hampton, attorney's fee, $150.00. Total, $2,719.30.

Special District Warrants.

Sundries.

Arredondo Special District No. 1, Gainesville Sun, advertising, etc., $1.72; Fairbanks Special District No. 5, Gainesville Sun, advertising, etc., $1.71; LaCrosse Special District No. 8, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.97; Archer Special District No. 10, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Archer Special District No. 10, W. M. Smith, for elections, $3.75; Gracey Special District No. 11, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Melrose Special District No. 13, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Melrose Special District No. 13, C. W. Craig, holding election, $6.40; Trenton Special District No. 16, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.97; Trenton Special District No. 16, C. A. Williams, hauling lumber, $11.10; Island Grove Special District No., 18, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Godwin Special District No. 20, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Godwin Special District No. 20, J. S. Bell, holding election, $6.00; Hawthorn Special District No. 21, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.97; Hawthorn Special District No. 21, T. J. Hammond, holding election, $6.00; Alachua Special District No. 23, W. F. Roberts, holding election, $4.00; Alachua Special District No. 23, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.96; Waldo Special District No. 24, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.96; Waldo Special District No. 24, Dutton Bank, apparatus, $119.69; Santa Fe Special District No. 25, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Gainesville Special District No. 26, W. R. Thomas, hire of mules, $1.50; Gainesville Special District No. 26, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $3.21; Gainesville Special District No. 26, Gainesville Sun, printing, $8.00; Gainesville Special District No. 26, D. A. Robertson, holding election, $4.50; Gainesville Special District No. 26, Gainesville Gas & Electric Power Co., $5.00; Lochloosa Special District No. 29, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.47; Irobie Special District No. 31, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.97; Orange Heights Special District No. 38, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Cherry Sink Special District No. 41, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.96; Louise Special District No. 42, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Louise Special District No., 42, C. M. McKinney, school supplies, $3.85; Perseverance Special District No. 43, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Windsor Special District No. 45, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.77; High Springs Special District No. 47, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $2.22; Hague Special District No. 48, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.97; Hague Special District No. 48, S. G. Hague, holding election, $4.75; Campville Special District No. 50, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Evinston Special District No. 62, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Newberry Special District No. 72, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $2.21; Rocky Point Special District No. 76, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.71; Williford Special District No. 88, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $7.25; Haynesworth Special District No. 81, Gainesville Sun, advertising etc., $1.72; Bell Special District No. 85, Gainesville Sun, advertising, etc., $1.25; Bell Special District No. 85, S. O. Barron, holding election, $3.00. Total, $248.37.

R. B. WEEKS,
Chairman, B. P. I.

J. L. KELLEY,
Sec'y. and Sup't., B. P. I.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Better Than Three Doctors.

"Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. Today he is as healthy a child as parents could wish for."—MRS. B. J. JOHNSTON, Linton, Miss. For sale by all druggists.

A Prominent Visitor.

Among the prominent visitors to Gainesville Friday was Hon. S. W. Rowley of San Mateo, the beautiful little town by the St. Johns, a few miles below Palatka.

Mr. Rowley is an extensive grower of tobacco and manufacturer of cigars. He is also connected with the immigration department of the Florida East Coast Railway, and has accomplished a great deal in building up that section of the State.

Mr. Rowley is one of the leading Republicans of the State, and has made himself felt in the political arena of Putnam county, where he has great influence.

Don't Be Blue

And lose all interest when help is within reach. Herbine will make that liver perform its duties properly. J. B. Vaughn, Elba, Ala., writes: "Being a constant sufferer from constipation and a disordered liver, I have found Herbine to be the best medicine, for these troubles, on the market. I have used it constantly. I believe it to be the best medicine of its kind, and I wish all sufferers [illegible] to know [illegible]

[illegible]

As far as the [illegible] fice of the Western [illegible] Company is [illegible] would never know [illegible] greatest and [illegible] in the history of [illegible] in progress for [illegible]

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CASTORIA

[illegible]

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Will Move to St. Petersburg.

While nothing authentic could be learned, it is rumored that A. B. [illegible] the trucker of [illegible] will shortly go to St. Petersburg, which place he will make his future home.

Mr. [illegible] is not only one of the most successful truckers, but one of the most desirable citizens in his section, and his friends will regret very much to see him leave.

It's Now Papa Robertson.

Friends in this city have received information to the effect that a fine son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Robertson [illegible] ing occurred at [illegible] Mrs. Robertson [illegible]

THE SHIELD

FIRST AND LAST

$HIELD BRAND HOE

Mean $ $ made to all who buy or wear them. In style ease and durability, "Shield Brand Shoes" toe the mark of perfection.

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Chickering, Mathushek, Ivers & Pond, [illegible] and a dozen other makes.

ALL PRICES

ESTEY AND FANEN ORGANS

PIANO TUNING A SPECIALTY.

Dealers in All Kinds of Musical Instruments [illegible] Music, Etc.

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

B. M. Phifer was in the city yesterday from Windsor.

Irish potato seed for sale. Hague Strickland, Gainesville, Fla.

Mrs. A. T. Kelley of Rochelle is in the city on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pinkoson of this city is visiting friends in St. Augustine.

J. T. Price, a well known citizen of Waldo, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones of Grove Park paid her Gainesville friends a visit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Zetrouer and son of Rochelle are in the city on a visit to relatives.

W. J. Hammond, the merchant of Hawthorn, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

J. J. Donaldson of Waldo was in the city yesterday. He paid The Sun a highly appreciated call.

Mrs. R. A. Underwood and children of High Springs are in the city, visiting Miss Sallie Pinkoson.

Wade Thomas and two children, [illegible] and Wilbur, were in the city from Monteocha yesterday.

W. J. Hodge, a farmer and marketman of Alachua was transacting business in this city yesterday.

J. M. Fairchild, a successful merchant of Newberry, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

H. E. Spencer and Wallace Prescott of Alachua were among those who spent yesterday in the county capital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rosborough of Windsor were among those who favored Gainesville friends with a visit yesterday.

Messrs. J. A. Tucker and James [illegible] of Rochelle and John Neel of [illegible] were trading in the city yesterday.

John G. Dampier of Hague, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

W. A. Snowden of Micanopy, more familiarly known as "Sonny" Snowden, was among those who paid the county metropolis a visit yesterday.

Friends of Henry Fowell will regret to learn that he is quite ill at his home on West Church street. He is suffering from muscular rheumatism.

Mrs. Ella LaF. Hamilton left Wednesday for Rabun Gap, Ga., where her sister, Mrs. J. W. McCollum, and Mrs. Smith of McIntosh, are now sojourning.

Mrs. J. R. Emerson and son, Francis, and grand-daughter, little Miss Janie Darby, left Wednesday for Williamston, S. C., and other points for a few weeks' outing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford of Micanopy were among those who visited Gainesville yesterday. Mr. Crawford is engaged in the mercantile business in that town.

George Main left yesterday for Arcadia, at which place he is interested with his brother, M. J. Main, in a handsome orange grove. He expects to be absent about a month.

Judge Horatio Davis left Wednesday for his regular summer outing at Mt. Airy, Va., and requests that The Sun be sent to him at that address. He expects to be absent several weeks.

After a beneficial outing of a month in and around Brevard, N. C., Col. John B. Dell has returned to this city. He is looking much better, and the change evidently did him a great deal of good.

Mrs. H. P. Prevatt of Archer, after a pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Harrod, in this city, left yesterday for Jacksonville, where she will make her future home with relatives.

S. H. Hall has returned from Thomasville and other points in Georgia, where he has been with his wife on his annual vacation. Mrs. Hall did not return, but expects to remain in Thomasville for a few days yet.

M. S. Cheves and family are at home again, after a pleasant visit to Jacksonville and Fernandina. They were accompanied home by their elder daughter, Mrs. Frank LaFontisee, who will remain here for several days.

H. L. Hutchinson left yesterday for Asheville, N. C., where he will join his wife, who has been sojourning at that popular resort. From Asheville they expect to proceed to Denver, Colorado, where they will spend the next month.

R. W. Small, Dr. Hunter, J. A. J. Strickland, J. M. Kite and Newbern Kite, all of Hague, were visitors to the county capital yesterday. Mr. Strickland brought in a load of fine sweet potatoes, which sold readily at one dollar a bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Carroll of Jacksonville, after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shannon, East Gainesville, have returned to their home. Mrs. Carroll was formerly Miss Miller of this city, and her friends were glad of an opportunity to greet her again.

R. W. Higdon of High Springs was a business visitor to this city yesterday. Mr. Higdon is an extensive merchant of that town, and has also recently acquired the ownership of the Casey House, one of the most widely known hostelries in this section of the State.

John Ambrose is spending a few days in Waldo, having gone to relieve Dr. Andrew Jolly in his drug store. Mr. Ambrose, who entered the recent examination before the State Pharmaceutical Association, has received his diploma, and is now a full-fledged registered druggist. His friends congratulate him upon his success.

General Superintendent C. D. Dennis of the Dutton Phosphate Company was in the city yesterday. Mr. Dennis has just returned from an extended visit through the extreme Northeast, going as far as Halifax, Nova Scotia. He was very much impressed with that section of the country at this season of the year, but says he would prefer Florida in December. Mr. Dennis' friends will be glad to learn that he feels greatly benefited from his outing.

H. LeRoy Taylor, after a vacation of a couple of months spent pleasantly with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor, in this city, left yesterday for West Point Military Academy, where he will resume his studies. Mr. Taylor is one of the brightest and most popular young man of his class at West Point, which is not astonishing to his friends here, who are watching him with a keen interest. His friends enjoyed his visit home, and wish him a pleasant journey back to his duties.

From Saturday's Daily Sun

Benton Conley of Hague was trading in the city yesterday.

Go to Evans Seed Co's., Gainesville, for fresh garden seed—just received.

Mrs. S. W. Rhoads and children left yesterday for a visit to Asheville, N. C.

Captain J. W. Carter of Micanopy was among those who spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. B. [illegible] Jordan and daughter, Esther, have gone to Brevard, N. C., for a few weeks' outing.

S. S. Simpson of High Springs, one of the valued employes of the Atlantic Coast Line, is in the city.

Miss Agnes Pons has gone to High Springs, where she will visit Miss Flora Higdon for a few days.

T. M. Cauthen and daughter, Miss Pauline, and Mrs. E. Renault, were in the city from Waldo yesterday.

J. A. Maultsby and H. M. Moran, two well known citizens of Campville, were visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

James Day of High Springs, foreman of the shops of the Atlantic Coast Line at that point, is in the city.

Friends of J. A. Roberts, who has been sick for the past three weeks, will be glad to learn that he is out again.

T. R. Pickett of Newberry and H. L. Beville of Arredondo were among those who spent Thursday in this city on business.

Misses Maggie and Annie Kirkland of Alachua have returned to their home, after a pleasant visit to friends in this city.

Mrs. Ella Merritt and son, Stephen, are in the city from the East Coast. They are the guests of Mrs. Merritt's sister, Mrs. M. S. Cheves.

J. A. Reeves and his little grandson, James Fannin Hinson, were in town yesterday from Micanopy. They made The Sun office a pleasant call.

Beans for fall planting, the prettiest stock you ever saw, and plenty of them. Evans Seed Co.

A substantial new floor is being laid on the platform at the freight house of the Atlantic Coast Line, replacing the old one, which was becoming dilapidated.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parham and children left yesterday for Daytona Beach, via Jacksonville, where they will enjoy the exhilarating breezes for the next two weeks.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Duke, formerly of this city but now of Dunnellon, will regret to learn that their young son, Alfred, is quite ill, and hope to hear soon of his recovery.

J. H. Palmer, formerly of this city but now of Macon, Ga., where he holds a responsible railroad position, has returned to his Georgia home after a pleasant visit to his parents, Col. and Mrs. W. H. Palmer, North Gainesville.

Miss Lontana Barrow of Levyville, who has been here for the past few weeks attending the State Normal, returned to her home Wednesday. This young lady made many friends here who regretted very much to see her leave.

Mrs. S. J. Burnett and daughter, Miss Jessie, have returned from Daytona Beach, where they have been on a visit to the former's daughter, Mrs. A. R. Jones. Mr. and Mrs Jones have a cottage at that resort for the summer.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday were J. J. Jenkins and daughter, Miss Virginia, and C. W. Hough, all of Williston. Miss Jenkins came to file a contest in the United States land office, and the gentlemen were here as witnesses in the case.

T. W. Shands returned yesterday from Atlanta, where he went to meet Mrs. Shands a few days ago. He reports that his wife is feeling much better, and that she returned to Waynesville, N. C., where she is spending the summer, yesterday.

An ice wagon belonging to the Diamond Ice Company accidentally ran over a fine pointer pup belonging to J. A. Goodwin a couple of days ago, which resulted in the breaking of one of the legs of the animal. The pup is a very valuable one, and Mr. Goodwin is doing all he can to mend the broken member.

J. H. Crown, for the past few months residing in this city, has purchased the stock of general merchandise of the estate of T. H. Waterworth, Rocky Point, who died in Jacksonville a few days ago. Mr. Crown proposes to continue the business and will no doubt do well, as that is the only store in the village.

Prof. Tom F. McBeath and daughter, Miss Omera, left Friday for Meridian, Miss., where the former has accepted a position as instructor in the Meridian Normal School for the next three or four weeks. He will return to Gainesville in ample time to open the fall term of the Gainesville Graded and High School, of which he is the efficient principal.

Mrs. James Doig and son, George I. Doig, have returned from Worthington Springs, where they have been for the past few days on account of the health of the latter. Mr. Doig has been suffering from rheumatism, but the baths in the famous spring proved of great benefit to him. Friends will be glad to learn that his condition is considerably improved.

A. W. Taylor and family, who have been residing in the Oak Hall property for the past year, have removed to their new home at the head of East Main street N. Mr. Taylor recently purchased this home, which has just been completed. It contains twelve rooms, and is one of the most conveniently arranged houses in that section of the city. Friends of Mr. Taylor congratulate him on his new possession.

Mrs. M. E. Miller, formerly of Arredondo but for the past year or two residing at Daytona, and who has been in this city for several days, has gone to Arredondo, where she will superintend the picking, packing and shipping of her pear crop. Mrs. Miller owns one of the most prolific orchards in this section of the county. She also owns several bearing pecan trees of the choicest variety, which will bear heavily this year.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

A. F. Torley of Melrose was trading in the city yesterday.

Solomon Warren left yesterday for a visit to friends in Alachua.

Evans Seed Co. has the American-grown rutabaga, the finest in the land.

W. B. Crown and children were in the city from Rocky Point yesterday.

Our famous Long Island-grown cabbage seed have arrived. Evans Seed Co.

J. P. Prevatt left yesterday for Trenton, where he will spend a few days with friends.

George D. Chesser, a well known planter of LaCrosse, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Mooty left Saturday for Bronson, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Postmaster Howell and John Torrode of Windsor were visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Miss Mamie Blalock of Valdosta, Ga., arrived yesterday and is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. J. Nixon.

Monroe Venable, the naval stores operator of Archer, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Miss Louise Nixon has returned from a visit of two months at Valdosta, Ga., and Asheville, N. C.

E. M. Baird has accepted a position as bookkeeper and manager of commissary at the mill of E. J. Baird.

H. M. Sherhouse of Micanopy, an extensive wood contractor of that town, was trading in the city yesterday.

J. R. Thomas, a progressive farmer of the Fairbanks section, was among those who spent yesterday in the county metropolis.

O. N. Sanders of Trenton, memb
of the firm of Sanders & Co., gen
merchants, was a business visitor t
this city yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Abrams expects to leave
this morning for Savannah, where sh
will be a guest of relatives, Mr. and
Mrs. John Abrams.

W. W. Bruce of Fairbanks, one o
The Sun's oldest and most valued su
scribers, was in the city yesterda
and renewed his subscription.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Brooks and
have returned from Georgia, wh
they have been for some time on
visit to Mrs. Brooks' old home.

Perry C., Wm. W. and L. L.
of Peniel, Putnam county, were in th
city yesterday on business conne
with the United States land office.

The new hotel in Micanopy is p
gressing toward completion. It w
be an up-to-date hostelry. Sixteen
the rooms will have open fireplace

M. A. Densler, formerly of th
Troy Hotel, High Springs, later
the Densler House, Newberry, was
business visitor to this city yesterd

Mrs. C. W. McDonald and fami
left yesterday for Daytona Beac
where they will join Mr. McDonal
who has been at that popular reso
for several days.

Deputy Sheriff L. E. Story of Wi
sor was in the city yesterday. He
one of the most active of the dep
officials of the county, and ma
numerous "hauls."

Mrs. Belle McEwen and gra
daughter, Miss Ruby Nettles, have
turned to their home at Fleming
after a pleasant visit to Mr. and M
A. S. Taylor in this city.

Hunt your shady spot, and put
a fall garden for your table. Y
can plant now cabbage, kale, m
tard, turnips, radishes, tomatoes,
tuce, onions, etc. Evans Seed
have the seed.

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Ladies' Lace Hose	15 and 21c pair
Ladies' Wash Belts	25c
New Back-Combs	35 and 60c
Wide Embroideries at	25c yard
Parasols at	$1.50, $2, $2.50 and $3
Mosquito Canopies,	$1.25, $1.50, $1.75

See Our Bargain Tables
loaded with
WASH GOODS
at 5c, 7½c, 10c, 15c, 19c, 23c and 33c

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